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<b>Interview Summary</b>	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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(2) Steve Rabin (Reg. No. 29102). (4)\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Interview: 15 January 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

Claim(s) discussed: 13.

Identification of prior art discussed: None.

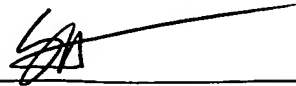
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant initiated interview to discuss potential claim language in order to (1) place the claim limitation of claim 13, along with intervening claim 11, into independent claim 1, thereby making claim 1 allowable and (2) circumvent the indefinite issue of claim 13 that arose during the interview conducted on 11 January 2008. In order to overcome the indefinite issue of claim 13, the Examiner suggested that the claim language consist of emphasizing the point that, at least during some circumstances, a value in a register is used (e.g. "substituted") instead of the stack pointer. The Applicant was to consider such language upon a subsequent amendment to the claims.